



info memo – June 29, 2007

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City Hall Closed for 4th of July

City Hall and other facilities will be closed for the 4th, although all three swimming pools (at Central Park, Nienhuis Park and Country Aire) will remain open.

The community centers and gymnasiums at both Central Park and Nienhuis will be closed Wednesday. There will be no disruption to the curbside trash pickup schedule.

Fireworks Permits Still Available

With Independence Day next Wednesday, there's still time to purchase City of Broken Arrow Fireworks Permits.

The permits are available for \$20 through July 3rd at several City locations. Permitted fireworks may be discharged only between the hours of 3 p.m. to 11 p.m. on July 3rd and 4th. This will be the second year that a small sign is being handed out with the permits which must be placed in a location that is easily visible from the street.

Permits may be purchased by cash, check or credit/debit card at the One-Stop Center on the north end of City Hall (220 S. 1st Street); the Utilities Office on the south end of the facility (116 E. Dallas); at the Court Clerk's Office in the Justice Center (2304 S. 1st Place); or at either of the City's two community centers (Central Park, 1500 S. Main, or Nienhuis Park, 3201 N. 9th). They also may be bought by cash or check at the BA Police Department, 2302 S. 1st Place.

State Driver Testing Center Opens Monday

Tens of thousands of Oklahomans will soon have another option for driver license services.

This Monday, July 2nd, the new DPS Driver Testing Center opens its doors on Main Street in Broken Arrow. Broken Arrow City Council recently approved an interlocal agreement with the Department of Public Safety (DPS) for placement of a driver testing facility within the city.

With 9 employees, the center will provide driver license written testing, driving skills testing, identification cards, out of state transfers for driver licenses, commercial driver license renewals and commercial driver license knowledge tests.

The center is located at 1635 South Main Street in the Oak Crest Shopping Center. Hours of operation will be Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

To better serve citizens, the center will also include a 'drop box' for utility payments and a city informational kiosk. Beginning Monday, the center may be reached at (918) 259-0764.

Celebrate Nienhuis - July 28th

Come join the City of Broken Arrow for fun, food and entertainment as we celebrate one of our city's greatest treasures.

The new attractions at Nienhuis Park are open for business. With two large slides, two junior slides and an "AquaPlay" area inside, the new pool is receiving rave reviews.

The new gymnasium, which opened earlier this year, features two courts for basketball, volleyball and other activities.

On Saturday, July 28th from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., professional performers will show off their skills at the brand new skate park.

Blue Bell will also be offering ice cream sandwiches free of charge.

For more information on the facilities at Nienhuis, call the park office at 355-0287.